

CALIFORNIA ENERGY COMMISSION1516 NINTH STREET
SACRAMENTO, CA 95814-5512**STATE OF CALIFORNIA
ENERGY RESOURCES CONSERVATION
AND DEVELOPMENT COMMISSION****Implementation of Restructuring)
Legislation (Public Utilities Code)
Sections 381, 383.5 and 445)
[AB1890, SB 90]: Renewables)****Docket No. 98-REN-EME
NOTICE OF BUSINESS MEETING
RE: Emerging Renewable
Resources Account Guidelines****NOTICE OF AVAILABILITY
GUIDELINES FOR THE EMERGING RENEWABLE RESOURCES ACCOUNT**

The California Energy Commission has adopted changes to the *Guidebook for the Renewable Energy Program, Volume 3 – Emerging Renewable Resources Account (Guidebook), Seventh Edition*. The updated *Guidebook* has been printed as an eight edition.

Summary of Changes

The changes to the *Guidebook* are summarized as follows:

1. Added a provision to allow inverters sized larger than any UL 1741 approved inverter to be eligible for the program if specified field testing requirements are met.
2. Implementing Assembly Bill 29x (AB 29x) by allowing customers of local publicly owned electric utilities to qualify for rebates from the Emerging Renewables Buydown program. AB 29x provides a total of \$8 million in funding for these customers and limits eligibility to systems with a generating capacity of 10 kilowatts or less.
3. Made a number of non-substantive changes to clarify the reservation process and made revisions to application forms.

How to obtain a Copy of the *Guidebook*

The *Guidebook* is available from the Energy Commission's Website at [www.energy.ca.gov/renewables]. To save unnecessary reproduction and mailing costs, the Energy Commission is not mass mailing the *Guidebook* to the general Renewable Energy Program mailing list. If you did not receive a copy and would like one mailed to you, please contact the Energy Commission's Call Center at (800) 555-7794 or the Publications Unit at (916) 654-5200 and request publication number P500-01-013V3, *Emerging Renewable Resources Account Guidebook, eighth edition*.

You may also submit a written request to:

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